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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6357

BILL NUMBER: HB 1033

NOTE PREPARED: Dec 5, 2012

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Deputy Attorney Generals in Washington, D.C.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Frizzell

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: This bill has the following provisions:

- A. It permits the Indiana Attorney General to employ deputies or assistants to review and monitor federal legislation and other actions that may affect Indiana, and provides that the deputies or assistants may take actions that the Attorney General finds necessary to address the legislation or other actions.
- B. It provides that the deputies or assistants may reside in or around Washington, D.C., or in another location from which the deputies or assistants may efficiently carry out their duties.
- C. It specifies that the deputies or assistants serve at the pleasure of the Attorney General.
- D. It provides that the Attorney General shall study federal legislation, coordinate this study with other states, and report to certain persons concerning the Attorney General's opinion with respect to this legislation.
- E. It also repeals an obsolete provision.

Effective Date: July 1, 2013.

Explanation of State Expenditures: Any added state expenditures will depend on budget requests proposed by the Attorney General and whether these requests are included in the state budget. On November 5, 2012, there were 120 deputy attorneys general on the state payroll. The average salary was \$53,662, and the highest salary was \$86,625.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Office of the Attorney General.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Department of Personnel.

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